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Sir:

This paper is submitted as an inquiry as to the status of the application identified above.

More than one year has passed since the filing of this application on June 24, 2003, accompanied by a post-card receipt. A Filing Receipt was received May 14, 2004. An Information Disclosure Statement was filed on April 13, 2004. An assignment was filed on June 4, 2004. A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts was filed June 25, 2004. An Assignment was faxed and recorded on October 14, 2004. A Power of Attorney By Assignee, Revocation of Prior Powers and Change of Correspondence Address was filed on October 29, 2004. The application was published on November 25, 2004. No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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